

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: ETRD, MTN, EAGR, GW  
SUBJECT: MTN NEGOTIATIONS

1. AGATT WAS INFORMED BY STAATSSEKRETAER ROHR THAT HE ATTENDED FRG CABINET MEETING EARLIER THIS WEEK IN MINISTER ERTL'S ABSENCE AND LED A DISCUSSION ON MTN ISSUES TO THE EFFECT THAT TIME WAS RUNNING OUT AND THAT THE EC SHOULD BE MORE FORTHCOMING IN REGARD TO THE SO-CALLED "STRAUSS PRODUCTS." HE DID NOT INDICATE ALL OF THE PRODUCTS WHICH WERE DISCUSSED, BUT THEY INCLUDED CITRUS, TOBACCO, ALMONDS, AND WALNUTS.

2. CHANCELLOR SCHMIDT AGREED WITH ROHR'S ASSESSMENT OF THE SITUATION AND INDICATED WILLINGNESS TO DISCUSS THE SITUATION WITH PRESIDENT Giscard D'ESTAING AT THE EC HEADS OF STATE MEETING IN BREMEN. AT A COCKTAIL PARTY ON JULY 7, ROHR CONFIRMED TO AGATT THAT SCHMIDT

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AND GISCARD HAD DISCUSSED THE SO-CALLED STRAUSS PRODUCTS, BUT THE RESULTS OF THE DISCUSSION WERE NOT KNOWN.  
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